



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of
Shigeharu USHIWATA, et al.

Docket No: Q65849

Appln. No.: 09/930,442

Group Art Unit: 3724

Confirmation No.: 2523

Examiner: Omar Flores-Sanchez

Filed: August 16, 2001

For: CUTTER WITH LASER GENERATOR THAT IRRADIATES CUTTING POSITION ON
WORKPIECE TO FACILITATE ALIGNMENT OF BLADE WITH CUTTING POSITION

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of September 23, 2004 to March 23, 2005.

A check for the statutory fee of \$1020.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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